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Title: SEMICONDUCTOR HOUSINGS HAVING COUPLING COATINGS

SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This Supplemental Preliminary Amendment amends the Utility Patent Application filed July 27, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: